

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

## Game : Hockey (Boys & Girls)

- 1. The matches shall be played according to the rules as adopted by Indian Hockey India, with modification wherever applicable.
- 2. The championship will be held in U-14, U-17 & U-19 years age category for boys & girls.
- 3. At Cluster / Zonal / National level, the tournament shall be played on knockout basis.
- 4. First position winning teams in different age group from each Cluster Zone will qualify to play in the Zonal/National Level.
- 5. If any match played on knock out basis ends in a draw, it shall be played to the finish and the procedure shall be as follows :
  After the normal playing period of 70 minutes (35-5-35), if the game ends in a draw, the tie-braker rule shall be applied.
- 6. In the case of under 14 yrs age group, time duration can be reduced by the Organizing School during the meeting of the Coaches/Managers before the tournament begins.
- 7. The Merit Certificates shall be awarded to teams winning first three positions. All the other participants shall be awarded with Participation Certificates who actually participated in the tournament.
- 8. The school Organizing Cluster / Zonal level competition shall take a Group Photo of the teams that have qualified to participate at Zonal/National level competition. The photo shall be signed by the host school Principal and forwarded to the school Organizing National level competition along with the original entry Performa.
- 9. In case, a team is asked to play two matches in a day, there should be at least a gap of 2 to 3 hours between two matches.
- 10. Protest if any, must be supported by documentary proof.